

Table I.A.1.a(2006) Percent of number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2006

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	6,420,156	57.8%	12.3%	8.2%	6.6%	15.1%	75.1%	24.9%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	176,010	83.8%	8.3%	5.5%	1.6%	0.8% *	96.2%	3.8%
Mining and manufacturing	299,575	43.3%	20.4%	16.5%	9.8%	9.9%	74.0%	26.0%
Construction	639,673	75.8%	13.7%	7.4%	1.7%	1.3% *	94.5%	5.5%
Utilities and transp.	172,417	50.4%	11.5%	8.4%	7.5%	22.2%	66.8%	33.2%
Wholesale trade	361,720	52.2%	13.8%	9.7%	9.3%	15.0%	72.6%	27.4%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	714,177	50.6%	6.1%	5.1%	9.0%	29.3%	59.5%	40.5%
Retail trade	938,658	46.1%	10.8%	6.9%	7.1%	29.0%	60.9%	39.1%
Professional services	1,509,396	61.1%	11.8%	8.1%	7.4%	11.7%	77.4%	22.6%
Other services	1,608,529	59.6%	14.3%	9.1%	5.9%	11.1%	79.7%	20.3%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	4,417,622	52.4%	13.2%	8.9%	6.6%	18.9%	71.0%	29.0%
For profit, unincorporated	1,513,870	75.8%	9.3%	4.7%	3.2%	7.0%	88.3%	11.7%
Nonprofit	488,663	51.4%	13.0%	12.6%	17.5%	5.5%	70.8%	29.2%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	847,117	82.3%	11.6%	4.0%	1.2%	0.8%	96.7%	3.3%
5-9 years	861,238	76.5%	13.2%	6.4%	2.7%	1.2%	93.8%	6.2%
10-19 years	1,295,110	69.3%	14.9%	8.4%	4.2%	3.2%	89.5%	10.5%
20 or more years	2,837,501	48.7%	13.1%	11.1%	10.6%	16.5%	68.4%	31.6%
Unknown	579,189	13.2%	2.1%	2.2%	6.3%	76.2%	16.4%	83.6%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1,607,133	1.9%	4.1%	10.8%	23.1%	60.1%	10.8%	89.2%
1 location only	4,813,022	76.5%	15.0%	7.3%	1.2%	0.0%	96.5%	3.5%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	797,233	71.1%	11.7%	5.4%	5.1%	6.8%	86.2%	13.8%
25-49 %	443,413	51.1%	12.9%	9.7%	6.9%	19.4%	70.4%	29.6%
50-74 %	983,814	62.8%	12.2%	7.0%	4.7%	13.4%	79.0%	21.0%
75% or more	4,195,696	54.9%	12.3%	8.9%	7.4%	16.6%	72.5%	27.5%
Union presence								
No union employees	5,740,348	61.4%	13.0%	8.5%	6.7%	10.4%	79.6%	20.4%
Has union employees	377,751	24.9%	6.4%	7.4%	8.3%	53.1%	35.1%	64.9%
Unknown	302,057	31.0%	5.5%	3.1%	4.4%	55.9%	38.7%	61.3%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	2,094,681	56.8%	11.5%	7.7%	6.9%	17.1%	72.8%	27.2%
Less than 50% low wage	4,325,474	58.3%	12.6%	8.4%	6.5%	14.1%	76.2%	23.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2006 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.A.1.a(2006) Standard error for percent of number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2006

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	24,625	0.27%	0.21%	0.11%	0.23%	0.28%	0.25%	0.25%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	4,855	1.02%	0.57%	0.80%	0.39%	0.29% *	0.70%	0.70%
Mining and manufacturing	9,199	1.28%	1.18%	0.94%	0.51%	0.69%	1.14%	1.14%
Construction	16,206	0.95%	0.91%	0.57%	0.20%	0.41% *	0.50%	0.50%
Utilities and transp.	5,120	2.30%	1.17%	1.85%	0.90%	2.10%	2.05%	2.05%
Wholesale trade	11,009	1.03%	1.80%	0.71%	0.87%	1.06%	1.57%	1.57%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	10,698	0.85%	0.56%	0.48%	0.45%	1.16%	1.14%	1.14%
Retail trade	11,227	0.69%	0.45%	0.56%	0.54%	1.11%	0.74%	0.74%
Professional services	12,055	0.76%	0.57%	0.22%	0.27%	0.64%	0.63%	0.63%
Other services	13,923	0.79%	0.62%	0.23%	0.40%	0.49%	0.41%	0.41%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	17,029	0.41%	0.25%	0.17%	0.32%	0.36%	0.35%	0.35%
For profit, unincorporated	20,711	0.47%	0.39%	0.32%	0.24%	0.43%	0.54%	0.54%
Nonprofit	9,949	0.80%	0.95%	1.07%	0.52%	0.67%	0.48%	0.48%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	22,565	1.07%	0.87%	0.40%	0.19%	0.25%	0.30%	0.30%
5-9 years	25,916	0.90%	0.77%	0.40%	0.21%	0.24%	0.42%	0.42%
10-19 years	24,169	0.52%	0.52%	0.41%	0.32%	0.35%	0.51%	0.51%
20 or more years	26,171	0.49%	0.33%	0.30%	0.37%	0.51%	0.52%	0.52%
Unknown	18,919	0.74%	0.42%	0.30%	0.70%	1.56%	1.11%	1.11%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	14,872	0.22%	0.38%	0.38%	0.84%	1.04%	0.64%	0.64%
1 location only	16,875	0.29%	0.27%	0.13%	0.06%	0.01%	0.09%	0.09%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	12,477	0.99%	0.74%	0.44%	0.49%	0.45%	0.62%	0.62%
25-49 %	12,685	1.39%	0.74%	0.79%	0.68%	1.01%	1.48%	1.48%
50-74 %	6,859	0.80%	0.26%	0.54%	0.29%	0.61%	0.79%	0.79%
75% or more	21,927	0.39%	0.15%	0.15%	0.27%	0.38%	0.37%	0.37%
Union presence								
No union employees	21,582	0.24%	0.20%	0.14%	0.25%	0.24%	0.18%	0.18%
Has union employees	14,975	1.08%	0.71%	0.92%	0.88%	1.57%	1.39%	1.39%
Unknown	12,077	1.80%	0.61%	0.64%	0.55%	1.82%	1.73%	1.73%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	26,698	0.52%	0.43%	0.32%	0.36%	0.65%	0.68%	0.68%
Less than 50% low wage	24,177	0.51%	0.27%	0.17%	0.25%	0.28%	0.30%	0.30%

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